a director now without providing for these facilities will be a waste.

COLLEGES—ADMISSIONS OF TRAVANCORE S. S. L. C. HOLDERS.

69. Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam):* Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) how many Travancorean boys and girls have been admitted in the Colleges in the State;

(*i*) with Cochin S. S. L. C. certificates;

(*ii*) Madras S. S. L. C. certificates;

and (*iii*) Travancore S. S. L. C. certificates;

(*b*) whether the Travancore S. S. L. C. certificates contain the words "Eligible for admission in Travancore University";

(*c*) if so, whether it is not a mistake that our Colleges which are not affiliated to the Travancore University give asylum to such boys;

(*d*) whether concession in fees are granted for;

(*i*) Depressed and backward classes;

(*ii*) lady students who are Travancoreans;

(*e*) if so, why?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):*

(*a*)

Maharaja's College, Ernakulam.		*St. Teresa's College, Ernakulam.*	*St. Thomas' College, Trichur.*
Boys.	Girls.	Girls.	Boys.
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(*b*) Yes, in the case of March 1939 Examination only.

(*c*) No. Only the recognition of the Madras University is necessary.

(*d*) (*i*) Not granted to non-Cochinites.

(*ii*) Only half the standard rates of fees are levied from all women students including Travancoreans.

(*e*) As laid down in Article 64, note 2 of the Cochin Education Code.

Mr. C. V. Iyyu (*Kunnamkulam*) : May I know, Sir, whether the Government would be pleased to send all the names of these boys and their addresses to the Tahsildars of the respective taluks to which they are supposed to belong. There are many boys and girls who are actually Travancoreans in the colleges of our State, especially in the Maharaja's College. They have given false domicile.

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Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* It may be possible in the case of students who have been admitted now to make this enquiry. But to make it a general rule that students should produce a certificate of nativity before they are admitted, may be rather difficult. It will be very difficult to get it in time for admission. It is sufficient if we take some sort of deterrent measure.

Mr. K. R. Viswambharan *(Ezhuvas-Talappalli):* Are there not Cochinite Students in Travancore Colleges?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* I want notice.

Mr. T. V. Subramania Ayyar *(Nemmara):* Are there not Cochinite students in the Trivandrum Law College?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* I want notice.

Mr. President: Government have no such policy that Travancoreans will not be admitted to our schools and colleges. It is not the policy of the Government. Are there instances where Cochin students have suffered because Travancoreans are admitted? If actual cases are brought to their notice, then Government will do the needful.

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* I can assure the hon'ble member that one such case was brought to the notice of the Government and on enquiry it was fuond to be utterly baseless.

Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam):* May I know Sir, whether the fee concession is granted to Travancore girls also?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* Yes. Probably the rules were framed when we were taking a federal vision *(Laughter)*. There is no reason why we should alter it now. It has been there in the Code for the last many years.

Mr. C. V. Iyyu *(Kunnamkulam):* Is the Government aware that a Travancorean lady student in the Maharaja's College is enjoying the depressed class concession and scholarship?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* I will make enquiries if the hon'ble member gives me the name.

MADRAS MEDICAL COLLEGE—ADMISSION OF COCHINITES.

70. Mr. Shabdai S. Koder *(Nominated):* (*a*) Is the Government aware of the hardship on Cochin students seeking admission to Medical College in Madras owing to the fact that our Government is authorised to nominate only two candidates for such admission, though others are prepared to pay double the fees as in the case of candidates from outside the Presidency;

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